

Curriculum Vitae

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Personal profile

Annalisa Prizzon is a Senior Research Fellow within the Development Strategy and Finance Programme, with a focus on development finance. She has widely published in peer-reviewed journals, edited books and research reports on aid, external debt and development finance. She has gained field experience in Sub-Saharan Africa, South East-Asia and the Pacific.

She is currently leading the research portfolios on (i) instruments and approaches to financing development in middle-income countries, (ii) the architecture of multilateral development banks and (iii) public debt sustainability&management. She had lead (or had been part of) teams advising strategy departments in bilateral and multilateral development agencies and banks.

Before joining ODI, Annalisa was an economist and policy analyst in academic institutions and international organisations (OECD and World Bank Group). She holds a PhD in Economics and Public Finance with a focus on external debt sustainability in low-income countries.

QUALIFICATIONS

2005-10	PhD in <i>Economics and Public Finance</i> 'Issues on external debt sustainability in low-income countries' University of Pavia (Italy)
2003-05	M.Phil. in <i>International Economic Integration</i> University of Pavia (Italy) <i>summa cum laude</i>
2000-03	B.Sc. in <i>Economics</i> University of Padova (Italy) <i>summa cum laude</i>
2008	Exchange Programme University of Notre Dame (United States), Department of Economics and Development Policy
2004	Diploma in <i>European Affairs</i> , Institute for International Political Studies (ISPI), Milan (Italy)
2002-03	Exchange Programme University of Essex (United Kingdom), Department of Economics

Languages:

English (fluent), Italian (native), French (intermediate), Spanish (intermediate), German (basic), Portuguese (passive)

Country experience:

Egypt, Ethiopia, Fiji, Ghana, Kenya, Indonesia, Liberia, Malawi, Mongolia, Papua New Guinea, Senegal, Vietnam, Zambia

Qualifications:

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Referee:

European Journal of Development Research, The Review of International Organizations, Development Policy Review, World Economy, Oxford Development Studies, Sustainability, Journal of Pacific Studies.

Other memberships:

Member of the World Economic Forum Global Future Council on *Infrastructure* for the 2018-2019 term

Academic advisor for Jubilee Debt Campaign

Member of the advisory group of the Progressive Lab Project.

ADDITIONAL TRAINING

2007	<i>Microeconometrics, cross-section and panel data methods</i> , University of Bologna (Italy) <i>Summer School in Applied Economics – Programming in Matlab</i> , Department of Economics, University of Lecce (Italy)
2005-06	<i>Women, Institutions and Politics</i> , jointly organized by the University of Pavia – Faculty of Politics – and the Italian Ministry for Gender Equality
2005	<i>Summer Course in International Cooperation</i> , CIPSI, Palermo, Italy

CAREER**Current post:**

April 2016 – present **Senior Research Fellow, Development Strategy and Finance Programme, Overseas Development Institute**

August 2013- March 2016 **Research Fellow, Centre for Aid and Public Expenditure, ODI**

October 2011- July 2013 **Research Officer, Centre for Aid and Public Expenditure, ODI**

Research lead of the work stream on the implications of the new development finance landscape and transition from low-income to middle-income status for recipient countries' financing strategies and donors' exit/transition strategies.
Research lead of the work stream on the future architecture of multilateral development banks.

Research lead of the workstream on debt sustainability and debt management (e.g. work commissioned by UNCTAD in 2015 and DFID in 2015 and 2014).

Advisor for strategy departments at Plan International, SECO, Qatar Fund for Development, KOICA, Italian development cooperation agency, DFID, TICA, Luxembourg Ministry of Foreign and European Affairs, AfDB, AsDB, EBRD, IADB.

Previous posts include:

**Oct 2008-Oct
2011**

Economist, OECD Development Centre

Co-author of two editions of the series Perspectives on Global Development (Shifting Wealth 2010 and Social Cohesion in a Shifting World 2012) and contribution to the conjunctural macroeconomic analysis of the Latin American Economic Outlook 2012 (in Spanish in collaboration with ECLAC).

Co-author and project lead in several projects of the Finance for Development Unit and of the Macroeconomic Analysis Unit, for example: impact of the financial crisis on development finance (in particular ODA and debt sustainability); determinants of export performance in sub-Saharan Africa; dynamics and characteristics of South-South trade and welfare implications of South-South trade vs. multilateral trade liberalization.

Organisation of conferences, seminars and internal meetings (e.g. International Conference on Social Cohesion and Development January 2011).

**Jun 2006-Oct
2006**

Consultant, World Bank Group, Economic Policy and Debt Department, Washington DC

Reorganisation of the database structure provided by PRMED – Economic Policy and Debt Department – to monitor the impact of debt relief on debt service and on priority public spending in HIPCs, in particular: reconcile HIPC debt flows data; create a database of HIPC debt flows and stock data at multilateral donors' level; update and extend a priority public spending database level.

Support to HIPC completion point process for Malawi

**Nov 2005-Jun
2008**

Teaching Fellow, University of Pavia, Italy

Responsible for the following part-time students' courses: Introduction to Economics, course for part-time students, University of Pavia, Faculty of Economics, Spring term 2007 – 2008; Microeconomics, course for part-time students, University of Pavia, Faculty of Economics, Spring term 2007 – 2008.

Tutor, Human and Sustainable Development, Collegio Santa Caterina, University of Pavia, Spring term 2006 – 2008; International Financial Institutions, IUSS, Institute for Advanced Studies, University of Pavia, Autumn term 2007.

Teaching assistant: Strategies for Economic Development, University of Pavia, Faculty of Economics, Undergraduate course, Winter term 2005 – 2008; Theories of Growth and Development, University of Pavia, Faculty of Economics, Postgraduate course, Winter term 2005 – 2008.

**Jun 2002-Oct
2002**

Research Associate, Chamber of Commerce, Treviso, Italy

Analysis of a local industrial cluster (food service equipment in northern Treviso), focusing on local government interventions to enhance international

competitiveness. The research was based on interviews with entrepreneurs and local opinion leaders.

Update and extension of ARCO project database on professional learning at local level.

Technical support for female entrepreneurship programmes.

PUBLICATIONS

Aid and development finance

Pickering, J., R. Davies and A. Prizzon (2017), "Development co-operation: New perspectives from developing countries – Introduction for special issue of Development Policy Review", *Development Policy Review*, 35, O1-O9.

Prizzon, A., R. Greenhill and S. Mustapha (2017), "An 'age of choice' for external development finance? Evidence from country case studies", *Development Policy Review*, 35, O29-O45.

Prizzon, A. and A. Rogerson (2017), Moving away from aid? The case of Indonesia, ODI report.

Jalles d'Orey, M.A. and A. Prizzon (2017), An 'age of choice' for infrastructure financing in sub-Saharan Africa? Evidence from Ethiopia and Kenya, ODI report.

Jalles d'Orey, M.A. and A. Prizzon (2017), An 'age of choice' for infrastructure financing? Evidence from Ethiopia, ODI report.

Greenhill, R., A. Prizzon and A. Rogerson (2016), The Age of choice: developing countries in the new aid landscape in Klingebiel, S., M. Timo, M. Negre (eds) *The fragmentation of aid concepts, measurements and implications for development cooperation*, Palgrave.

Prizzon, A. (2016), Where next for development effectiveness? Situating the debate in the country perspective, ODI report, October.

Prizzon, A., R. Greenhill and S. Mustapha (2016), An age of choice for development finance Evidence from country case studies, ODI report, April.

Hart, T. and A. Prizzon (2016), Age of choice: Kenya in the new development finance Landscape, ODI report, April.

Schmaljohann, M. and A. Prizzon (2016), Age of choice: Viet Nam in the new development finance landscape, ODI report, April.

Schmaljohann, M. and A. Prizzon (2015), "Age of choice: How partner countries are managing the new development assistance landscape – The cases of Fiji, Papua New Guinea, Timor-Leste and Vanuatu", *Asia and Pacific Policy Studies*, Australian National University. Volume 2, Issue 3, pages 643–651, September.

Prizzon, A. (2015), The capacity of developing countries to mobilise resources in capacity development beyond aid (Edited by Heinz Greijn, Volker Hauck, Tony Land and Jan Ubels), ECDPM.

Schmaljohann, M. and Prizzon, A. (2015), Age of Choice: How developing countries are managing the new aid landscape? A summary, ODI research report.

Rabinowitz, G. and A. Prizzon (2015), Financing development: Lessons from Development Progress case studies, ODI Working Paper, February.

Kharas, H., A. Prizzon and A. Rogerson (2014), Financing post-2015 Sustainable Development Goals: A Rough roadmap, ODI Research Report, December.

Schmaljohann, M. and Prizzon, A. (2014), The Age of Choice: Fiji and Vanuatu in the new aid landscape, ODI Research Report.

Prizzon, A. (2014) The Age of Choice: Papua New Guinea in the new aid landscape, ODI Research Report, October.

OECD/ODI (2014), The new development finance landscape: emerging and preliminary perspectives from the cases of Ghana, Senegal and Timor-Leste, Pre-SLM Special Briefing, 3 March, Paris.

Rabinowitz, G., A. Prizzon and C. Leigh (2014), Discussion paper on the current development finance debate & implications for fragile states (for discussion), Second meeting of the INCAF Knowledge and Policy Task Team, January.

Greenhill, R., A. Prizzon and A. Rogerson (2013), The age of choice: Developing countries in the new aid landscape, ODI Working Paper No. 364.

Prizzon, A. (2013) The age of choice: Zambia in the new aid landscape, ODI research report.

Prizzon, A. and A. Rogerson (2013), The age of Choice: Ethiopia in the new aid landscape, ODI Research Report.

Greenhill, R and A. Prizzon (2012) Who foots the bill after 2015? What new trends in development finance mean for the post-MDGs, ODI Working Paper.

Prizzon, A. (2012), Development Ministers: Implications for aid quality and quantity, Research Report, Action Aid and BOND, London.

Greenhill, R. and A. Prizzon (2012), The aid effectiveness agenda: The benefits of going ahead- A commentary on the final report, ODI Discussion papers, April.

Glennie, J. and A. Prizzon (2012), From high to low aid: a proposal to classify countries by aid receipt, ODI Background Notes, March. Blog on the Guardian Poverty Matters blog in April 2012 (Is there a case for a fresh approach to aid measurement?).

Mold, A. and A. Prizzon (2012), Aid flows in times of crisis, in J.A. Alonso and J. A. Ocampo (ed.) Development Cooperation in Times of Crisis, Initiative for Policy Dialogue, Columbia University Press [Spanish version in Fondo de Cultura Económica].

Mold, A., S. Paulo and A. Prizzon (2009), Taking stock of the credit crunch – Implications for development finance and global governance, OECD Development Centre Working Paper, No. 277, March.

Multilateral development banks

Engen, L. and A. Prizzon (2018), A guide on multilateral development banks, Overseas Development Institute.

Bhattacharya, A., H. Kharas, M. Plant and A. Prizzon (2017), The New Global Agenda and the Future of the MDB System, Paper prepared for the G20 Eminent Persons Group meeting in Frankfurt am Main on 4 December 2017, Brookings Institute, Centre for Global Development, Overseas Development Institute.

Prizzon, A. et al. (2017) (editor), Six recommendations for reforming multilateral development banks: an essay series, ODI report, December.

Prizzon, A. (with S. Mustapha and A. Rogerson) (2016), Graduation from ADB regular assistance: a critical analysis and policy options.

Faure, R., A. Prizzon and A. Rogerson (2015), Multilateral development banks: a short guide, ODI.

Mustapha, S., A. Prizzon and A. Rogerson (2015), Challenges with the World Bank's income classification system: a review of the literature and policy options, paper prepared for the Commonwealth Secretariat.

Prizzon, A. (2016), Donor delegation to multilateral organisations – the case of France, background document for Greenhill R. and G. Rabinowitz (2016), Why do donors delegate to multilateral organisations? A synthesis of six country case studies, ODI report.

Humphrey, C., S. Griffith-Jones, J. Xu, R. Carey and A. Prizzon (2015), Multilateral development banks in the 21st century: three perspectives on China and the Asian Infrastructure Investment Bank, ODI.

Schmaljohann, M., A. Prizzon and A. Rogerson (2014), Policy note on the role of the World Bank Group in the post-2015 agenda, GIZ.

Debt and debt sustainability

Mustapha, S. and A. Prizzon (2018), Africa's rising debt: how to avoid a new crisis, ODI Briefing papers, November.

Mustapha, S. and A. Prizzon (2018), "Debt relief initiatives 20 years on and implications of the new development finance landscape", *Third World Thematics: A TWQ Journal*, DOI: 10.1080/23802014.2018.1473047

Mustapha, S. and A. Prizzon (2016), Financing development the post-2015 agenda and external debt sustainability in African countries: Trends, emerging issues and policy options, background paper for UNCTAD Economic Development in Africa 2016 report: Debt Dynamics and Development Finance in Africa, UNCTAD.

Mustapha, S. and A. Prizzon (2015), Debt sustainability and debt management in developing countries, EPS PEAKS.

Prizzon, A. and S. Mustapha (2014), Debt sustainability in a new age of choice: Taking stock of the HIPC and MDRI debt relief initiatives and implications of the new development finance landscape for public debt sustainability, ODI Working Paper No 397, June.

Mustapha, S. and A. Prizzon (2014), Is debt sustainable in the post-HIPC era? A literature review, Economic and private sector Professional evidence and applied knowledge services.

Vaggi, G. and A. Prizzon (2013), "On the sustainability of external debt: Is debt relief enough?", *Cambridge Journal of Economics*, December.

Blended finance and financial instruments

Humphrey, C. and A. Prizzon (2015), Guarantees for development – Implications for multilateral development banks. ODI report, January.

Mustapha, S., A. Prizzon and M. Gavas (2014), Assessment of the development impact of blended finance instruments, mimeo. Draft report prepared for Australia Department of Foreign Affairs.

Mustapha, S., A. Prizzon and M. Gavas (2013), Topic Guide – Blended finance for infrastructure and low-carbon development, Evidence on Demand, DFID.

Others

Wignaraja, G., J. Tyson, A. Prizzon and D.W. te Velde (2018), Asia in 2025: Development prospects and challenges for middle-income countries, Research Report, September.

Mold, A. and A. Prizzon (2015), Commodity prices and export performance in Sub-Saharan African countries in O. Morrissey, R. Lopez, K. Sharma (eds.) 'Handbook On Trade And Development', Edward Elgar Publishing.

Faure, R., C. Long and A. Prizzon (2015), Do organisational and political models for development cooperation matter for development effectiveness?, ODI Working Paper.

Nicolai, S and Prizzon, A. (2014), Beyond basic: the growth of post-primary education in Kenya, Development Progress Case Study Research Report, 2014.

Engel, J. and Prizzon, A. (with G. Amgaabazar) (2014), From decline to recovery: Post-primary education in Mongolia, Development Progress Case Study Research Report, July.

Mold, A. and A. Prizzon (2013), "South-South trade liberalization as a way out of the financial crisis? An exploratory CGE simulation", *Journal of International Development*, vol. 25(8), pages 1071-1084, November.

Nakhooda, S., T. Fransen, T. Kuramochi, A. Prizzon, A. Caravani, N. Shimizu, A. Halimanjaya, H. Tilley and B. Welham (2013), Mobilising international climate finance: Lessons from the fast-start finance period. ODI/WRI Research Report and Studies.

Jutting, J. and A. Prizzon (2013), Social cohesion: Does it matter for growth and development?, in Bender, K. M. Kaltenborn and C. Pfleiderer (eds), "Social protection in developing countries reforming systems", Routledge, May.

Mold, A. and A. Prizzon (2011), Two steps forward, one step back: LDCs and the challenges of South-South trade in times of 'Shifting Wealth, ICTSD, Trade Negotiation Insides, November.

OECD (2011), Perspectives on Global Development 2012 – Social cohesion in a shifting world, OECD Development Centre, Paris, November 2011.

OECD (2010) Perspectives on Global Development 2010 – Shifting Wealth, OECD Development Centre, Paris, June (also in French).

Prizzon, A. (2010), Going South: What's in it for development?, OECD Blog Insights, June

Mold, A. and A. Prizzon (2010), Fragile states, commodity booms and export performance: An analysis of the Sub-Saharan African case, EUI Working Papers, Robert Schuman Centre for Advanced Studies RSCAS 2010/21, Background Paper for the European Report on Development 2009.

Mold, A. and A. Prizzon (2010), Export performance of ACP countries in perspective, in O. Morrissey (ed.) Economic Partnership Agreements and Development EU Trade Policy Towards Africa, the Caribbean and the Pacific, Routledge, London.

SELECTED PRESENTATIONS AND LECTURES

European Commission, South-East Asia and East Asia seminar, 26th-28th February 2018, Hanoi.

UNDESA, Lunchtime discussion on transition finance, Keynote speaker, 23rd January 2018, New York.

UNCTAD Intergovernmental expert group on Financing Development, 8th-10th November 2017, Geneva.

World Bank Development Finance Forum, 31st May-1st June 2017, Accra.

Development Partners Group Retreat, 13th May 2017, Cairo.

Results UK, National conference, 7th May 2017.

Canadian International Development Platform Conference, 28th April 2017.

ACET Mobilizing & Managing Financial Flows for Development: Country Experiences and Lessons from Aid Management and Ministry of Finance, 10th-11th April 2017, Accra.

ISPI Istituto di Studi di Politica Internazionale China's New Silk Roads: Which Opportunities and Challenges for Development Finance?, 23rd March 2017, Milan.

GPEDC HLM2 Side Event, New tasks and challenges for development co-operation agencies in Middle Income Countries, Nairobi, 30th November 2016.

ODI CAPE conference “Where next for Development Effectiveness”, London, 18th-19th October 2016.

T20 Summit, Beijing, 29th-30th July.

T20 Conference on “Multilateral Development Banks and the G20”, Shanghai, 25th-26th February 2016.

UNDP Istanbul Regional Hub, High-Level Workshop - Emerging Donors, Istanbul, 25th November 2015.

CAPE Conference, Overseas Development Institute, London, November 2015.

ActionAid Italy Roundtable Discussion The private sector in the context of the Italian development cooperation, Rome, 7th July 2015.

IFAD, Roundtable Discussion: Leverage South-South and Triangulate cooperation to achieve results, Rome, 7th July 2015.

UNCTAD, Trade and Development Board, Revisiting debt sustainability in Africa, Geneva, 24th June 2015.

Asia Foundation, China’s Overseas Development Policy in a World ‘Beyond Aid’, Bangkok 9th-10th June 2015.

ADB Annual Meetings, Financing Partners Forum, Baku, 2nd May 2015.

‘Researching China’s Overseas Finance and Aid: What, Why, How, Where and How Much?’ SAIS-CARI Johns Hopkins, Washington DC, 10th April 2015.

UNECE Regional consultation on Financing for Development, Geneva, 23rd March 2015.

Australasia Aid Conference, ANU Crawford School of Public Policy/Development Policy Centre, Canberra, 12th-13th February 2015

Keynote speaker at ‘Aid, Investment and Accelerated Development in Timor-Leste’ seminar organised by Asia Foundation, Dili, 9th February 2015.

Keynote speaker at ‘The New Aid Landscape: Opportunities and Challenges for Cambodia’, seminar organised by Asia Foundation, Phnom Penh, 6th February 2015.

DFID/ODI seminar on Debt Crisis Prevention in Developing Countries, London, 2nd February 2015.

CAPE Conference, Overseas Development Institute, London, 12th November 2014.

OECD Launch of Development Cooperation Report, London, 9th October 2014.

Presentation at OECD Workshop “The new development finance landscape: partner countries’ perspectives and implications for post-2015 debate”, Paris, 25th June 2014.

UNDP Policy Forum, Addis Ababa, December 2013.

2 Sessions at the UNECA training workshop on Success, Gaps and Lessons in International Efforts towards Achieving MDG 8: Global Partnership for Development, Addis Ababa, December 2013.

Presentation of ODI contribution to the AfDB Resource Mobilisation Strategy, Tunis, October 2013.

DIE Conference Fragmentation or Pluralism? The organisation of development cooperation revisited, Bonn, October 2013.

Post-primary education in Mongolia and Kenya – presentation at UKFIET conference, Oxford, September 2013.

Seminar at DFID South-south co-operation – a recipient country perspective, London, July 2013.

Presentation at the EU Changemakers Conference – ODI, London, June 2013.

Roundtable at Lowy Institute, Age of Choice: Developing Countries in the New Aid Landscape, Sydney, 19th May 2014.

Seminar at Australian National University, Crawford School of Public Policy, 'Age of Choice: Developing Countries in the New Aid Landscape', Canberra, 22nd May 2014.

Roundtable and staff seminar at Australia Department of Foreign Affairs 'Age of Choice: Developing Countries in the New Aid Landscape', Canberra, 23rd May 2014.

High-Level Expert Seminar "The Post-2015 Development Agenda: towards a new partnership for development", Moscow, 12th March 2014 (organized by UNDP, World Bank and Russian government).

Seminar at AfDB – Revision of the IMF-WB Debt Sustainability Framework, Tunis, July 2013.

Brown-bag lunch jointly organized by UNDP-BDP (Aid Effectiveness Unit) and Special Unit for South-South Cooperation (presentation of Age of Choice report), New York, 10th April 2013.

Brown-bag lunch seminar at UN-DCF (presentation of Age of Choice report) New York, 9th April 2013.

Keynote speech at the conference Innovation in Governance of Development Finance: Causes, Consequences and the Role of Law, New York University, 8th-9th April 2013.

IGD Seminar, The State of Multilateral Development Cooperation, Pretoria, 15th April 2013.